Mountain Weather Forecast

South Grampian and Southeast Highlands

Including South and East Cairngorms National Park, Aberdeenshire and Angus Hills, Ben Vrackie, Ben Lawers, Loch Tay and Ochils
Forecast valid from 00:00 on Thursday 17 Jun 2021 until 23:59 on Friday 18 Jun 2021

Forecast Issued on Wednesday 16 Jun 2021 at 11:45 by Met Office Aberdeen

Confidence: Generally high out to Saturday, but low for extent of any showers later on Friday. Moderate for a change to more unsettled conditions from Sunday, but low for details.

Headline for Thursday 17 Jun 2021: Largely dry with sunny spells. A cool breeze on the tops.

Mountain weather hazards on Thursday 17 Jun 2021

Blizzards No Likelihood	**Heavy Snow** No Likelihood	**Storm force winds** No Likelihood
Gales No Likelihood	**Severe chill effect** No Likelihood	**Poor visibility** No Likelihood
Thunderstorms No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent rain** No Likelihood	**Strong sunlight** Medium Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation 800m							
Time							
00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Cloudy	Partly cloudy (night)	Sunny	Sunny intervals	Sunny intervals	Sunny intervals	Sunny	Clear night
Precipitation probability							
00%	<05%	00%	00%	<05%	10%	<05%	00%

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Weather: Dry but rather cloudy through the early hours. Cloud breaking up by dawn to give a sunny start. Patchy cloud then increases through the day, perhaps thick enough to give an isolated afternoon shower. Cloud breaks up again in the evening.

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 800m: 95% or more.

Visibility: Very good or excellent with cloud bases above the summits throughout.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph)					Wind Direction (blowing from)			
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
1100	21/24 SW	19/23 SW	17/20 SW	15/19 W	14/19 W	15/20 W	15/21 W	16/21 W	17/21 W
900	14/17 SW	13/17 SW	13/16 SW	13/18 W	12/17 W	13/18 W	13/19 W	11/16 W	13/17 W
600	6/13 SW	5/10 SW	4/9 SW	10/16 W	10/16 W	10/17 W	11/19 W	9/16 W	9/15 W
300	3/9 SW	2/6 W	4/8 SW	9/16 SW	9/16 W	9/17 W	8/15 W	5/11 W	5/11 W
Glen	3/9 W	3/5 W	4/8 SW	8/15 W	9/16 SW	9/15 W	8/14 NW	4/10 NW	4/10 W

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)								
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
1100	4/-2	4/-1	3/-2	5/0	6/2	7/3	6/2	4/-1	2/-4
900	6/2	6/2	6/2	7/4	9/6	10/7	9/6	6/3	4/-0
600	8/6	7/6	8/7	10/8	12/10	13/11	12/10	9/6	6/3
300	10/10	8/8	10/10	14/12	16/14	16/14	15/13	11/10	8/7
Glen	11/11	10/9	11/11	15/13	17/15	18/15	16/14	12/11	8/7
Freezing Level*	1700m	1600m	1500m	1600m	1700m	1700m	1700m	1600m	1300m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Met Office Aberdeen Meteorologist's View

A generally fine dry day, but feeling cool on the tops in the wind. Temperatures may reach around 20 Celsius in sheltered Angus glens early afternoon.

Forecast for Friday 18 Jun 2021

Weather: Clear skies through the early hours leading to a cool sunny start. Patchy cloud will build through the morning, with a few isolated showers possible through the afternoon. Cloud thickening in the evening, a little patchy rain possible.

Maximum wind: West or Northwest 5-10 mph, becoming variable in the evening.

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 800m: 90%

Visibility: Generally very good or excellent with cloud bases well above the summits. Some patchy cloud may lower onto the higher summits of the Cairngorms in the evening.

Temperature: **Glens:** Plus 5 Celsius rising to 14 Celsius.
At 800m: Plus 4 Celsius rising to 8 Celsius.
Freezing level: 1000m shortly before dawn, otherwise above the summits.

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